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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE GROUP

INSTRUCTION OF FOREIGN SERVICE INTELLIGENCE PERSONNEL

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OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM

1. In order that foreign service intelligence personnel of the military agencies represented on the IAB may become familiar with the organization, purposes and effort of CIG, particularly as it concerns the area to which they are assigned, all Military, Naval and Air Attaches and their assistants will, as agreed by the War and Navy Departments, be processed prior to their departure for foreign station by CIG in accordance with the procedure below:

2. Personnel of the above classes will be considered in two categories:

a. General Officers, Flag Officers (Category "A" Personnel).

b. All others (Category "B" Personnel).

3. Category "A" Personnel.

a. War and Navy Departments will notify the Chief of Presentation Division, ORE, at least one week prior to the date of desired briefing of each individual in the above classes giving the following information: Name, rank, title, expected date of departure and the office to which he has been appointed.

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b. The Chief of the Presentation Division will determine in each case the wishes of the Director through the Deputy Director as to personal interview with the individual and establish a tentative time and date therefor.

c. By mutual agreement with the department concerned, determine and establish the time of interview.

d. The Chief of the Presentation Division, ORE, will determine what further intelligence briefing, beyond that arranged for in c above, is desired and make the necessary arrangements therefor.

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c. An officer of CIG shall be detailed by the Chief of the Presentation Division, ORE, in each case to act as personal aide during the individual's visit to CIG.

4. Category "B" Personnel.

a. Each department shall notify the Chief of the Presentation Division one week prior to the desired time of briefing of each individual giving the same information as in 3 a above.

b. Formal briefings shall be held monthly, or oftener if required, beginning at 1330 and continuing not later than 1700.

c. Dates for briefings will be arranged by the Chief of the Presentation Division by mutual arrangement with the Departments concerned.

d. Briefings will be held in Room 117, Central Building, 2430 F Street, N.W., and shall consist of the following:

(1) 1330 - 1420 -- Explanation of CIG organization and functions. (Responsible officer, Advisor on Organization and Management, ICAPS).

(2) 1430 - 1500 -- Discussion of collection plans, procedures and policies as established by CIG, and the intended functioning thereof in the field (Responsible office, OCD).

(3) 1515 - 1700 -- Discussion of the intelligence problems in the areas of assignment, conducted by the appropriate Branch Chiefs, ORE. (Responsible office, ORE). This discussion shall be held under the supervision of the Chief of the Presentation Division, assisted by the appropriate regional branch chiefs and functional specialists.

5. Each individual briefed in accordance with the foregoing procedures should be impressed with:

- a. The overall responsibilities of CIG.
- b. The effort of CIG to make intelligence collection a coordinated team operation, which will serve the departments and the national security with equal effectiveness.
- c. CIG's interest and requirements in the area concerned.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:


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WITH THE INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY BOARDOPERATIONS MEMORANDUM

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c. No restrictions are placed upon the liaison contacts effected by Assistant Directors and Staff Chiefs or their deputies within their own fields as outlined in b above.

d. No restrictions are placed upon liaison by members of ICAPS with the particular departments from which they were assigned to the CIG.

e. The principles and specific contacts herein mentioned apply to intelligence matters only and do not restrict nor concern administrative liaison between the Office of the Executive for Personnel and Administration and corresponding activities of other agencies.

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LIAISON CONTACTS OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE GROUP
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1. Tab "A", Operations Memorandum Subject: "Liaison

Contacts of the Central Intelligence Group with the Intelligence Advisory Board", dated 17 January 1947, is amended as follows:

In Column 1, under "Office of Collection and Dissemination", add: "d. Security Branch".

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2. All copies of Tab "A", Operations Memorandum [] should be changed accordingly.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION
NO.

25X1 SUBJECT: Operational Liaison

RESCSSIONS: Administrative Instruction
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12. The Offices of Special Operations and Policy Coordination are exempt from the provisions of this directive excepting those set forth in paragraphs 7, 8, 10 and 11. However, these offices may utilize the information and services of OCD as provided herein, should it appear that any operational advantage would thereby be served.

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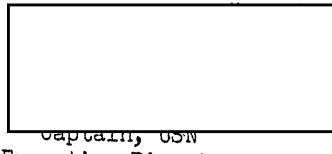
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION
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SUBJECT: Operational Liaison

RESCSSIONS: Administrative Instruction [redacted] dated 5 August 1946
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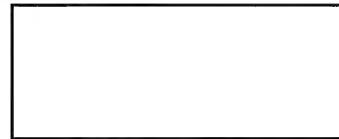
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TO : Executive Director
 FROM : Executive for R&M
 SUBJECT: Operational Liaison

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1. Attached are--

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a. Final draft of proposed new Administrative Instruction [redacted] to replace the seven administrative instructions now in effect on this subject, and to clarify currently vague policies in connection therewith.

b. Signed concurrences of each office concerned except the Office of Special Operations.

c. Non-concurrence of the Office of Special Operations.

2. Paragraph 12 has been rewritten as recommended by the Office of Special Operations except that the exemption from paragraph 8 of the new instruction has not been included.

3. If it is the desire of the Director that the Office of Special Operations maintain direct liaison with the National Security Council staff without reference to ICAPS or the office of the Director, this exception will be removed from the general exemption given to SO in the draft. In such case, information is requested as to whether similar exemption from this specific exception is desired to be extended to the Office of Policy Coordination.

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CONCURRENCES: Draft, Administrative Instruction
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

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1. This office has received a proposed copy of an Administrative Instruction to be numbered subject: "Operational Liaison."

2. It is satisfactory with the following exception:

Paragraph 12 is quoted:

"The Offices of Special Operations and Policy Coordination are exempt from the provision of this directive to the extent determined by them to be essential for the security of their operations. This exemption does not apply to paragraphs 7, 8, 10 and 11. The information and registry services of OCD provided herein may be utilized by these offices to the extent desirable to avoid difficulties in liaison with other agencies."

3. This office sees no useful purpose to the latter half of the ^{first} sentence, i.e., "to the extent determined by them to be essential for the security of their operations." If this is a true statement of the intent to permit OSO and OPC to make their own determinations, it is superfluous verbiage. Merely exempting OSO and OPC will accomplish what is desired. The original proposed wording is bound to lead to ultimate representations that the extent these offices are "determining" is going beyond what is "essential for the security of their operations."

4. With respect to the exceptions made in the original document: "This exemption does not apply to paragraphs 7, 8, 10 and 11," it is felt that "8" should be omitted. This office has, occasionally, very sensitive operational liaison with the National Security Council staff, and it is not felt that it is either necessary or desirable to conduct this through or with the concurrence or arrangement of any middle men.

5. It is, therefore, recommended that paragraph 12 of the original text be rewritten as follows:

"The Offices of Special Operations and Policy Coordination are exempt from the provisions of this directive excepting those

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set forth in paragraphs 7, 10 and 11. However, these offices may utilize the information and services of OCD as provided herein, should it appear that any operational advantage would thereby be served."

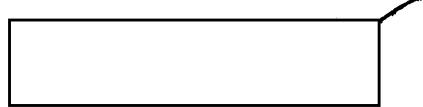
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Special Operations

cc: Executive Director
Assistant Director, OPC

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② What does DSO + CPC do with NSC other than

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Dear [Redacted] Whichever Conference may be held in [Redacted]
[Redacted] the D.A.C. agencies, the presence of [Redacted] non-CIA
[Redacted] may be [Redacted] should be [Redacted] authorized representative of
[Redacted] the [Redacted] agencies concerned.

Definition of TAC agencies

Definition of IAC *Aquacis* - entire
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11. The ~~Assistant Directors~~ ^{Offices of} Special Operations and ~~for~~ Policy Coordination are exempt from the provisions of this directive to the extent determined by them to be essential for the security of their operations. To be [redacted] information and ^{provided herein} register [redacted] service of OCD may be utilized by these offices to the extent desirable to avoid difficulties in liaison with other ~~for~~ agencies.

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When CIA personnel are involved in
conferences in IAC agencies, [redacted]

persons not known to the
CIA employees as authorized liaison contacts
should be reached for by ~~a~~ ^{the} authorized
representative of the agency concerned.

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MEMORANDUM TO: Executive for Administration and Management
SUBJECT: Operational Liaison

1. Herewith two drafts of an administrative instruction on Operational Liaison, submitted in connection with the meeting on the subject held 22 October 1948.

2. The draft headed [redacted] has the informal concurrence of OO and OCD.

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3. The other draft is not concurred in by OCD nor ICAPS and was written in ORE. In my opinion there are several faults in it.

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Colonel, GSC

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION

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SUBJECT: Operational liaison

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1. To clarify and regularize the operational liaison from and into the Central Intelligence Agency, the following procedures and channels are set forth. No other channels are authorized.

2. ~~Individuals conducting operational liaison below the level of Assistant Directors or Agency Staff Chiefs~~ will not commit the CIA on any matter of policy unless properly authorized.

3. Definitions:

a. Operational liaison is that association on intelligence matters, with individuals in other government agencies necessary for the effective carrying out of the responsibilities of the Agency.

b. Operational liaison is differentiated from contact in ~~other than those in governmental agencies~~ that contacts are made with individuals ~~in business concerns~~ or ~~individuals in~~ other non-governmental agencies (NSCID No. 7.)

4. The Assistant Director ^{for C+D, special areas} ~~of OCD~~ is responsible for the administration of operational liaison. He will:

a. Arrange for all initial introductions of CIA persons authorized to conduct operational liaison with IAC agencies.

b. Arrange for all initial and spot introductions of CIA persons authorized to conduct operational liaison with non-IAC government agencies. *Intel #1*

c. Arrange for all initial and spot introductions of persons representing other government agencies who are authorized by CIA, and their parent agency, to conduct operational liaison with CIA.

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d. Assure appropriate security actions and measures in all cases of operational liaison.

e. Operate an information and ~~registry~~ ^{Service} ~~office~~ on all matters of operational liaison. The functions of ~~these~~ ^{this} ~~service~~ will include a facility for the finding of the individual(s) ^{for liaison contact} desired both within and outside of the CIA.

f. Notify other government agencies of the established measures for the control of operational liaison.

6. Continuing operational liaison, once established, need not be coordinated with the Office of Collection and Dissemination. ^{OCD will be informed of personnel changes within or outside CIA which} ~~O. informed of personnel changes within or outside CIA which~~ ^{where} ~~will affect operational liaison contacts. In such case~~ ^{with the other agency or agencies by the Office of Collection and Dissemination as required by paragraphs 4a, b or c above.}

7. The Office of the Director will conduct all liaison with the ~~White House, President and his personnel~~

8. ICAPS will arrange for ~~all~~ ^{or conduct} operational liaison with the National Security Council Staff.

9. When matters of operational liaison with the IAC agencies cannot be arranged through established channels, the services of ICAPS will be employed.

10. The General Counsel ^{will arrange to conduct} ~~is responsible for arranging~~ operational liaison with the Legislative Branch of the Government.

11. The Advisory Council will ^{arrange to conduct} ~~continue its~~ operational liaison in connection with its functions.

12. Special arrangements, satisfactory to the Offices of Special Operations and Policy Coordination, will be worked out by those Offices and the Office of Collection and Dissemination.

^{change} ~~13. The Foreign Broadcast Information Branch~~ ^{Branch #3} ~~Branch #2~~ ^{for} ~~of~~ 00 is authorized to conduct such informal operational liaison with the agencies serviced by that Branch, as is necessary for the proper conduct of business, without reference to OCD. OCD will be notified of the procedures to be followed.

~~14. The Agency for AFM is responsible for arranging to and conducting administrative liaison with other government agencies.~~

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14 15. Each Assistant Director and Agency Staff Chief will appoint a Liaison Control Officer and necessary assistants who will perform the appropriate coordination between his office and the designated ⁱⁿ representatives ~~of~~ OCD. This coordination will include the transmission ^{To} OCD of lists of persons authorized to conduct operational liaison, and changes thereto, ~~to OCD~~.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO

SUBJECT: Liaison and Contacts

RECISSIONS:

1. In order to differentiate between "operational contacts" and "liaison" for purposes of intelligence procurement or informational exploitation; to clarify authorization; and to prevent duplication and overlapping, the procedures set forth below will govern.
2. Routine, continuing inter-IAC agency contacts on an opposite number, working level basis, when reference is solely to substantive matters and not in the interest of the collection or dissemination of intelligence documents or intelligence information materials, will be administered and controlled by the Assistant Directors or Staff Chiefs for their respective areas through designated Office Liaison Control Officers.
3. The AD/OCD will establish the position of "Coordinator of Liaison" within OCD. The duties of the Coordinator of Liaison will include:
 - a. The development and coordination of all initial liaison between CIA personnel and the personnel of non-IAC agencies.
 - b. The maintenance of current records of authorized CIA-non IAC liaison, including up-to-date records of representation to interdepartmental panels, committees, etc.
 - c. The maintenance of appropriate lists of authorized liaison officers within non-IAC agencies, and of non-IAC personnel accredited to conduct liaison in CIA.

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d. The operation of a central reference service regarding CIA-non IAC liaison, whether internal or external.

e. The application of security safeguards as prescribed.

4. Liaison for the exploitation of non-governmental individuals or establishments believed to be possessed of information of intelligence significance, and for the preparation of reports based thereon, is the exclusive responsibility of the Office of Operations. All matters pertaining to such liaison will be conducted by or referred to CO.

5. a. Upon receipt of a request for liaison from any person in a non-IAC agency, the Coordinator of Liaison, OCD, will assure that such approach is consonant with approved security control procedures and through the regularly established liaison channel for the agency concerned.

b. When the Coordinator of Liaison, OCD, is satisfied that proper channels and security controls are being observed, an effort will be made to satisfy the request through OCD facilities and procedures, if the request be for a document; or by referring the requester to the appropriate Office Liaison Control Officer if the request be for interview, policy or substantive discussion, conference or the undertaking of a study or project.

c. Contacts by non-accredited non-IAC agency personnel will be referred to the Coordinator of Liaison, OCD, through the designated Liaison Control Officer of the Office concerned for proper coordination with security and operational policies and procedures.

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Liaison Control Officer of the Office concerned for proper coordination with security and operational policies and procedures.

6. Personnel of IAC agencies who are detailed to CIA may conduct such liaison with their respective parent agencies as may be within the scope of their assignments and duties. Their liaison with other IAC agencies will be within the terms of paragraphs 2 and 3.e. above; and with non-IAC agencies as prescribed for non-detailed personnel.

7. a. Nominations by non-IAC agencies of liaison officers to conduct business within CIA will be approved for security clearance by the Executive for I & S after initial determination of the validity of the proposed liaison by the Coordinator of Liaison, OCD, in coordination with the Liaison Control Officer of the Office concerned. Acceptances of such nominations will specify the duration of the liaison of which confirmation is made and the area of activity to which the nominated liaison officer is accredited.

b. The Coordinator of Liaison, OCD, will arrange for the introduction of each liaison officer to persons concerned at the time of the initial visit. Thereafter direct contact will be authorized for the duration of the approved liaison.

8. a. The following offices are exempt from the terms of this Instruction:

- (1) The Office of Special Operations.
- (2) The Office of Policy Coordination.

b. The following offices are exempt from the terms of this Instruction for the purposes indicated, and will control all liaison in such connection:

- (1) Office of the Director for all liaison with the White House and the Executive Office of the President.
- (2) Office of the General Counsel for all liaison with Members or Committees of the Congress.

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(3) Executive for Inspection and Security in connection with security matters.

(4) Executive for Administration and Management in connection with matters of routine or covert administration.

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#1 After this introductory contact with the non-IAAC official, CIA persons may discuss information with other agency personnel as authorized by the non-IAAC official, provided CIA classified information is not divulged.

#2 When CIA personnel are involved in intelligence conferences in IAAC agencies, persons not known to the CIA employee as authorized liaison contacts should be searched for by the authorized representative of the agency concerned.

#3 The Offices of Special Operations and Policy Coordination are exempt from the provisions of this directive to the extent determined by them to be essential for the security of their operations. The information and registry services of OCD provided herein may be utilized by these offices to the extent desirable to avoid difficulties in liaison with other agencies.

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MEMORANDUM TO: Management Officer

SUBJECT: CIA representation on Non-IAC agency commit

REFERENCE: Management's memo of 7 February 1950

1. COAPS has been considering your suggestion on providing policy and procedural guidance for interdepartmental committees and conferences involving representatives of non-IAC agencies. Before long COAPS hopes to review the necessity for CIA representation on all committees, ad hoc and otherwise, within and outside of the IAC agencies.

2. At present we see no need to issue a Policy Statement or Administrative Instruction confirming or changing the present general policy of "need-to-know" and the attendant Administrative Instruction [redacted] on Operational Liaison.

3. When Economic Intelligence gets better organized, there may be some permanent committees with members from agencies outside the IAC; but at present we think each outside committee and participation of outsiders on CIA committees should be considered on its own merits and the need for CIA participation or outside participation determined on the basis of its value to CIA or conversely on value of CIA's contribution to outside U. S. Government activities.

4. We participate with the interested CIA Office in determining this need and OCD and I&SS play their respective parts.

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PRESCOTT CHILDS
Coordination, Operations
and Policy Staff

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Chief, Coordination, Operations and Policy Staff 7 February 1950

Management Officer

Committees and Conferences Involving Representatives of Non-IAC Agencies.

1. Presently, Agency regulations do not provide policy and procedure guidance for interdepartmental committees and conferences involving representatives of non-IAC agencies. The authority for liaison control with non-IAC agencies has been delegated to Liaison Division, OCD, but no specific policy direction has been provided as to the utilization of this authority in the control of interdepartmental committees involving non-IAC agencies. Control over conferences and committees which include IAC representation has been exercised by your Staff.

2. The Management Staff recommends that policy and procedures covering the initiation by CIA and the subsequent activity ensuing from interdepartmental committees and conferences involving representation of non-IAC agencies be considered for issuance as an Administrative Instruction.

3. This recommendation is not applicable to interdepartmental committees established by NSC action.

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LIAISON CONTACTS OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE GROUP
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OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM

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1. Tab "A", Operations Memorandum Subject: "Liaison"

Contacts of the Central Intelligence Group with the Intelligence Advisory Board", dated 17 January 1947, is amended as follows:

In Column 1, under "Office of Collection and Dissemination", add: "d. Security Branch".

2. All copies of Tab "A", Operations Memorandum should be changed accordingly.

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FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:

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